

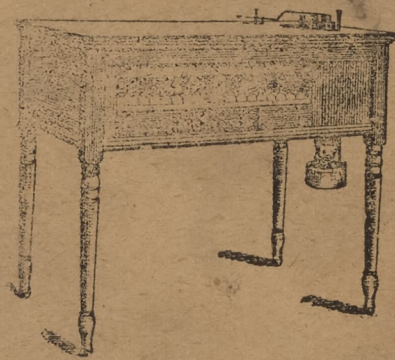
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## RECITES MANY INDICTMENTS.

**GOVERNOR HANLY'S GREAT SPEECH BEFORE THE STATE CONVENTION OF INDIANA REPUBLICANS HAS NO MALICE AGAINST MEN IN THE SALOON BUSINESS**

The following arraignment of the saloon is taken from the speech of Governor Hanly of Indiana, delivered at the Republican State Convention in Indianapolis on Wednesday afternoon, April 1, 1908. These are not the words of a long haired prohibition crank, nor of a preacher, but were voiced by a politician, Governor of one of the great states of this Union at the state convention of the republican party. The years of his service as chief executive of Indiana forced upon Governor Hanly the truth which his denunciation of the saloon contains. Here are his words as published in the Indianapolis News of Thursday, April 2, 1908: Personally I have seen so much of the evils of the traffic in the last four years, so much of its economic waste, so much of its physical ruin, so much of its mental blight, so much of its tears and heartache, that I have come to regard the business as one that must be held and controlled by strong and effective laws.

I bear no malice toward those engaged in the business, but I hate the traffic.

I hate its very phrase.

I hate it for its intolerance.

I hate it for its arrogance.

I hate it for its hypocrisy.

I hate it for its cant and craft and false pretenses.

I hate it for its commercialism.

I hate it for its greed and avarice.

I hate it for its sordid love of gain at any price.

I hate it for its domination in politics.

I hate it for its corrupting influence in civic affairs.

I hate it for its incessant effort to debauch the suffrage of the country; for the coward it makes of public men.

I hate it for its utter disregard for law.

I hate it for its ruthless trampling of the solemn compacts of state institutions.

I hate it for the load it straps to labor's back; for the palsied hands it

gives to toil; for its wounds to genius, for the tragedies of its might-have-beens.

I hate it for the human wrecks it has caused.

I hate it for the almshouses it peoples; for the prisons it fills; for the insanity it begets; for its countless graves in potter's fields.

I hate it for the moral ruin it imposes upon its victims; for the spiritual blight; for its moral degradation.

I hate it for the crimes it has committed.

I hate it for the homes it has broken.

I hate it for the malice it has planted in the hearts of men; for its poison, for its bitterness, for the dead snail trail with which it starves their souls.

I hate it for the grief it causes womanhood—the searing tears, the hopes deferred, the strangled aspirations, its burdens of want and care.

I hate it for its heartless cruelty to the aged, the infirm and the helpless; for the shadow it throws upon the lives of children; for its monstrous injustice to blameless little ones.

I hate it as virtue hates vice, as truth hates error, as righteousness hates sin, as justice hates wrong, as liberty hates tyranny, as freedom hates oppression.

I hate it as Abraham Lincoln hated slavery. And as he sometimes saw in prophetic vision the end of slavery, and the coming of the time when the sun should shine and the rain should fall upon no slave in all the republic; so I seem to see the end of this unholy traffic, the coming of the time when, if it does not wholly cease to be, it shall find no safe habitation anywhere beneath Old Glory's starry stars.

The Indianapolis News states that tremendous applause marked the conclusion of the speech, and scores of persons rushed to the governor to shake his hand and congratulate him on what they called the greatest convention speech ever heard by them in Indiana.

## WHO WANTS IT?

The big factor in the alcohol problem is not the man who wants to drink, but the man who wants to sell liquor. This is well illustrated by the continuous effort put forth to break down prohibitory legislation. The leaders and financial supporters of these efforts invariably are the men who want to sell liquor. Who ever heard of the thirsty souls in Kansas organizing and fighting to get saloons back in that state? "The Liberal Advocate," a liquor paper published in Columbus, O., tells us that "A campaign has been started by the brewing interests to make Kansas a 'wet' territory. Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Louis brewers are those behind the movement. The resubmission to the people of the prohibitory law is sought, and 'wet' organizations are to be started in the various cities and towns. The brewers say they expect to have 1,000 of these local organizations at work soon."

There you have the truth in a nutshell. The brewing interests of Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Louis are so sorry for poor parched Kansas that they will move heaven and earth—or more likely hell and earth—to get gin mills back in the state. It is the men who want to sell liquor who are trying to make Kansas and all the rest of our "dry" territory "wet," and it is these same men who are constantly devising ways and means to create an unquenchable thirst upon part of their customers, and to push their wares into every home in the land. Let the strong arm of the law deal with these men who want to sell liquors, and the school, the church and the home will then easily take care of those who want to drink liquor.

Have you seen our bargain counter? F. Dabring, 111 E.

## Ladies' Aid Endorse Moral Campaign

Be it resolved—That the Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational Church, as an organization, do hereby, most heartily endorse the movement being made for the uplifting of the morals of our town and valley.

## A LICENSE ARGUMENT

The Bulletin of the Maine Local Self-Government League announces "Trouble Ahead of Prohibition," in big headlines, because testimony before the Interstate Commerce Commission showed "This startling fact that approximately 20,000,000 gallons of liquor are shipped by express, direct to consumers in prohibition states," and that such "traffic has an evil effect doubtless."

BUT the nine prohibition states of 1910 have a population of 15,502,939, and this shows a consumption of less than 1 1/4 GALLONS PER PERSON IN PROHIBITION STATES.

While the American Grocer for July 12, 1911, on the authority of the United States Bureau of Statistics record the total consumption of all liquors in 1910 as 21.86 GALLONS PER PERSON FOR THE UNITED STATES.

Do you believe liquor sellers are working, as claimed, to keep the sales below 1 1/4 gallons per person, when in local option states, if taken alone, they run much over 22 gallons per person?—Dr. W. F. Crafts.

See Parrent for good clothes. Ladies' and Gents' tailor, 427 N. p. St., Sonoma.

## Resolutions Passed by Sonoma Valley Woman's Club

The following preamble and resolution was presented, read and adopted by the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club at the regular meeting Friday, February 16, 1912. There was not one dissenting vote.

Whereas, There is to be an election in the First Supervisorial District outside of the incorporated town of Sonoma, said election is to settle the question whether the sale of alcoholic liquors is to be licensed or not, and

Whereas, The Sonoma Valley Woman's Club has always stood in the front ranks for civic and moral improvement, now be it

Resolved, That we give this campaign our moral and hearty support, also that our secretary be instructed to send a copy of this resolution to the press, and to the leaders in this movement and to spread same on the records of this club.

## PERSONAL LIBERTY

We are told the law cannot say what a man shall drink if no one is harmed thereby. But the fact is, that the saloon does harm some one. It seizes the laborer in its greedy clutch and filches his toil-bought gold. It crowds the vacant corridors of poor houses, prisons and asylums. It touches poor hearts with its polluted finger, and behold blighted souls. It blows its poisoned breath upon innocent womanhood and behold dead hopes and ruined hearts. Sin and sorrow follow in its wake. Death and destruction marshal their cohorts upon its track. Then do we infringe upon personal liberty by the prohibition of such a monster? The government infringes upon no constitutional right when it compels the owner of a powder mill to conduct his business apart from other buildings; the public's safety demands it. The law deprives no man of personal liberty when it prohibits public lotteries; the public morality demands it. The health officer tramples upon no individual freedom when he tacks the small-pox placard upon the diseased infected home; the public health demands it. Then who dares to affirm that the prohibition of the liquor business infringes upon personal liberty? For the liquor traffic is a hundred-fold more corrupting than a lottery, a thousand times more deadly than the small-pox, and ten thousand times more dangerous than all the powder mills in America."—Extract from "Prohibition and Personal Liberty," by Lewis M. Simes, of South western College, Winfield, Kan.

Every ranchman should arrange for a good garden this spring; it is a matter of economy and saves doctor bills, besides affording the luxury of fresh vegetables for the table.

## RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY ST. BARBARA'S GUILD.

The following resolutions were passed at the regular meeting of St. Barbara's Guild, held Tuesday, Feb. 6, 1912, to-wit:

Whereas, There is to be an election in the First Supervisorial District, outside of incorporated cities and towns, to decide the question: "Shall Saloons be licensed or not?" Therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of St. Barbara's Guild of Trinity Episcopal Church, Sonoma, California, in regular meeting assembled, do hereby give to this movement for the uplift of all moral and hence all business conditions of this valley, their hearty approval and support. And be it further

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be sent to the press of this valley and to the leaders of the movement, and that the same be spread upon the minutes of the Guild.

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## CAN YOU READ AND WRITE?

The recent doubling of the voting lists of this state has brought to public notice various legal points in connection with the franchise that are accurately known but to very few, even public officials. For the benefit of new voters and the public generally, we call attention to certain points of importance in next Monday's election.

Art. 11 of the constitution provides: "No person who shall not be able to read the Constitution in the English language and write his name shall ever exercise the privilege of an elector in this state." This has as exceptions "a physical disability" which prevents complying with this provision, and the possession of the "right to vote" at the time the educational test amendment was passed in 1894, or the being "60 years of age and upward" at that date.

Those, if any, who have been registered who cannot fulfill the constitutional requirements above named must expect to have their votes challenged and rejected, if they attempt to vote on Monday.

By Secs. 42 and 42a of Title IV of the Penal Code, "every person who wilfully causes, procures or allows himself to be registered, knowing himself not to be entitled to registration, is punishable by imprisonment in the State prison for not less than one nor more than three years."

By Art. 11 of the Constitution above quoted, it appears that an alien naturalized before 1894, even though illiterate, has the right to vote. But his wife, if illiterate, (has not such right now) as she did not then possess the "right to vote" in 1894.

A recent opinion of the Attorney General says: "A challenge under the Constitutional provision, (based on lack of either of the educational qualifications,) would undoubtedly be sustained by a court, though the statute did not include it as a ground of challenge."

A citizen, to be entitled to vote (though physically disabled from reading or writing,) must have declared under oath the nature of the disability claimed, (at the time of registration.)

No man can claim the assistance of the election officers in making his or her ballot who has not declared under oath, at the time of registration, a physical disability rendering him or her unable to mark the ballot.

Sec. 1203 of the Political Code prescribes the manner in which the selection of the assisting officers, two in number, shall be made, such officers to be sworn in the form prescribed in that section.

The name of every voter who has been assisted in marking his ballot must be returned on a special list to the County Clerk.

(Every voter must write his own name on the Roster of Voters) before receiving his ballot—the exception being made of those who, (when registering,) have declared their physical inability.

The Code is emphatic on the point of the writing the names on the Roster, and the manner of selecting assistants from the officers. A violation of the procedure laid down is punishable misdemeanor. In many places heretofore great laxness has been shown by election officers in these matters, doubtless through ignorance that the procedure was mandatory.

### WHAT YOU MUST NOT DO

"No officer of election, nor any person, shall do any electioneering on election day, within one hundred

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feet of any polling place.

"No person shall ask another at a polling place for whom he intends to vote."

"No voter shall place any mark upon his ballot by which it may be afterwards identified as the one voted by him."

"No voter shall solicit a vote (or speak to a voter on the subject of marking his ticket) within one hundred feet of the polling place."

If your vote is challenged, you must not refuse to be sworn, or if sworn, you must not refuse to answer any pertinent question, under penalty of misdemeanor.

You must not make or accept any bet or wager upon the result of the election, in any particular, under penalty of misdemeanor.

Every person keeping a public house, tavern, or drinking place, whether licensed or unlicensed, who sells, gives away or furnishes spirituous or malt liquors, wine, or any other intoxicant on any part of any day during the hours when by law the polls are required to be kept open, is guilty of a misdemeanor. This applies to the back-bar as well as the front-door.

### AN ERROR CORRECTED

In our issue of last week we said that Mrs. Emma Pell Fetters had been arrested. We have learned since that it was not Mrs. Fetters, but her husband who was named in the complaint.

This was merely a mis understanding of a phone message, but it was too good a chance for the wets to lose to get back at us, so they had our editor arrested for criminal libel, thinking of course to make the Expositor out as untruthful as the other Sonoma paper.

Of course we are sorry if we caused any mental anguish to Mrs. Fetters by making this mistake but we should have had a chance to correct the error before being "hauled into court."

The preliminary hearing will be held April 10th before Judge Campbell.

### SONOMA WOMAN HONORED

Tuesday night the Eastern Star held an important meeting in Petaluma, initiating two candidates. The degree work was done in a most impressive manner, Mrs. T. F. McFadden and Mrs. Rose Torr, the floor instructresses, putting the candidates through the forms.

After the initiatory work the body went to the banquet hall and partook of a spread there laid. It is understood that A. L. Phillips had that evening in charge, and it is certain he did his duty nobly. Mrs. A. W. Horwege was toast mistress for the occasion, and much good feeling and unity was evincd in the various toasts. The Grand District Deputy Matron, Mrs. Zoe Bates, who was present at the meeting, addressed the assembly at this time. She expressed herself as being highly pleased at the showing made by the Chapter. Little else of her address Mrs. Bates was presented with a souvenir spoon, the immortal Petaluma chicken being represented on the handle.

At the next meeting of the Chapter four candidates will be initiated; the new drill team will put on the work they have been instructed in minor charges in the ritual by Mrs. Bates.

### WILL USE RAWHIDE THONGS

An item of interest connected with the restoration of the Mission San Francisco De Solano is the fact that the old youst will be fastened to the rafters with rawhide thongs in the same method used in the original building.

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### BUILDING RENOVATED

Theodor Richards, prop. of Agua Caliente Springs, has a force of carpenters, painters and plumbers at work renovating the different buildings connected with his resort.

He has installed several arc tubs in the bath ing, making a total of 55 Agua Caliente Springs are well known for their health giving properties and every care is taken of the patrons.

The swimming tank can now be refilled in 8 hours and will be cleared out four times a week.

## COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The Sonoma County Sunday School Association will hold its annual convention on April 11th in the Presbyterian church in Santa Rosa. The morning session will begin at 10 o'clock and the afternoon sessions at 1:30 and 7:30 respectively. Programs of the meeting have already been distributed throughout the county and a good attendance is expected.

This convention will be followed immediately by the convention of the Men and Religious Forward Movement, preparations for which have been in progress for some time, and those who attend the one may thus easily avail themselves of the advantage of both.

The State Sunday School convention will be held in Chico on the 17th of April.

Following is the program for the convention in Santa Rosa on April 11th:

10:00 a. m.—Prayer and Praise.  
Business.  
10:30 a. m.—Address, "The Growing Need for Trained Teachers," by U. S. Johnson.  
11:15 a. m.—"Our Elementary Work," by State Secretary C. R. Fisher.  
12:00 m.—Recess.  
1:30 p. m.—Prayer and Praise.  
1:45 p. m.—Address, "The Boys," by Rev. Willis G. White.  
2:15 p. m.—Reports of County and District Officers.  
3:00 p. m.—Election of Officers.  
3:20 p. m.—"The Deepening of Spiritual Power in Our Sunday Schools," by Rev. W. H. Nelson.  
4:00 p. m.—Round Table.  
4:30 p. m.—Reports of Committees.  
Business and adjournment.  
Evening Session—Addresses by speakers.

### FIRST GRAND CONCERT

Last Friday evening a large and enthusiastic crowd gathered in Union Hall to listen to the Grand Concert given by the Northern California Cadet Band. This is the first concert given by the organization and was a decided success.

This band was organized a little over three months ago by Mr. Arthur B. Roberts and the boys have worked faithfully to make their first concert a success. In this short period under the able leadership of Mr. A. J. Bailey, the members of the band have certainly gained much headway, and reflect much credit upon Mr. Roberts and Mr. Bailey.

It is the intention of the band to give concerts at different towns, and the proceeds will go toward the building and equipping of a gymnasium and club house for the boys girls.

The selections by the band were well rendered, and showed that boys had taken much interest in the organization and practised faithfully.

The concert solo by Cadets Raymond Solomonson and Ralph Brachman was very well rendered, as was the vocal solo by Alfred Jensen and the euphonium solo by Harry Eustice, and deserve special mention.

After the concert a selected orchestra played for the dance that followed.

About \$60 was realized from the concert, and this will go toward helping to buy the apparatus for the gymnasium.

### TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Easter Sunday will be observed with full and rich services, special music and beautiful decorations. Holy communion at 8 a. m.; Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.; Morning Prayer with Baptism and Sermon, at 11 a. m.; Vespers at 5 p. m.

The Masonic Lodge accepted the invitation to attend the service at 11 a. m.

The new pews will be in place, and the Guild Hall will present a very churchly appearance. Everyone is welcome.

### TURN HIM OUT

Several fine vocal and orchestral selections, and the comedy entitled "Turn Him Out," will be presented at Union Hall Friday evening by a number of well known Sonomans, for the benefit of St. Barbara's Guild. Dancing will follow the program, and refreshments will be for sale. Program begins sharp at 8 o'clock. Adults 50c; children between 6 and 14, 25c; under 6 free.

## LEA APPEALS ELECTION CASE

An appeal to the Supreme Court will be taken from the decision of Judge Deary holding that the Presidential Primary is a special and not a general election, which opinion was rendered in the mandamus proceeding brought by Guy J. K. Bigelow against the Board of Supervisors and involving the date of the Local Option election in this supervisory district. The plan is to have the matter definitely decided and it is hoped to have an opinion from the Supreme Court by April 22, on which day the Supervisors will meet and set the date officially for the election.

## GARDEN PARTY

The members of the Society of Our Lady of Good Council announce to their friends and to the always kind people of Sonoma, that on the 6th inst., the afternoon from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock will be appropriated to a Garden Party on the grounds of the Eastern Place, in many forms, music, songs, etc. There will be ice cream, candy, etc., as well as valuable prizes for old and young. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

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**LOCAL ITEMS**  
**VOTE FOR HIGH LICENCE**

Get it at Duhring's. 11 ft.  
 Mrs. Cynthia Dennison is visiting at the W. D. Rambo home.  
 Have your clothes cleaned and pressed by Parrent, Sonoma.  
 Thos. B. McNamara was a visitor here Tuesday, on personal business.  
 Miss Birdie Thomas, of Berkeley, visited at the Thomson home Sunday.  
 Have you seen our bargain counter bargains added from time to time to F. Duhring's. 9 t.  
 Mr. H. F. Cherry left for Sacramento on the afternoon train Wednesday.  
 R. Q. Wickham, supervisor at Sonoma State Home was in town on Wednesday.  
 E. West Wool arrived in this city Friday evening from Parkfield, Cal., for an indefinite stay.  
 Mr. Charles P. Austin, a prominent citizen of Santa Barbara, was in town Monday and Tuesday.  
 Miss Irene Rambo came down from Santa Rosa Saturday and stayed over Sunday with her parents.  
 Lloyd H. Hays, Mrs. A. M. Thomson and Miss Celia Thomson autoed to San Rafael Tuesday.  
 Miss Opal Hays came up from Berkeley Saturday for a few days' visit with friends and relatives in this city.  
 Harry Lubbock has sold his interest in the Riverside resort, El Verano, to Harry Earl, and will leave this section.  
 The suit of John Steiner vs. Sonoma Brewing Co. will come up before the Superior Court Saturday, April 13.  
 A map of Agua Caliente Park was presented to the County Board of Supervisors Monday, and was accepted by that body.  
 Percy Tomlinson of the Home Insurance Co., was in town this week adjusting the loss of the Montalvo and the Ramsdell loss.  
**VOTE FOR C. H. HOTZ AND JESSE BURRIS FOR CITY TRUSTEES.**  
 A. J. McGill, who recently sold his interests in Woodleaf Park, has leased Zedra Springs in Lake County and will run the same this coming season.  
 For a nice lunch go to the "Chase Inn." Meals at all hours. Orders taken for all kinds of salads and sandwiches. Lunches put up. 13 2 t.  
 The Home and School Association is arranging for a reception to be given in honor of the Sonoma High School at Odd Fellows' Hall Friday evening, Apr. 19th.  
 Mrs. Julius Fochetti, nee Lenora Quattaroli, was taken to San Francisco Monday, where she will undergo an operation. Mrs. Fochetti has been in a very serious condition for some time, and her friends sincerely wish her a speedy recovery.  
 Two boys were arrested by Deputy Sheriff Jos. Ryan on suspicion of being those wanted in Mark West on several charges. Sheriff Smith was informed of the arrest and came down Wednesday morning, but let the boys go as they were not the ones wanted.  
 Mrs. B. E. Darling opened her baker shop, in the Duhring building, adjoining the Don Theatre, Monday to the public. Mrs. Darling will endeavor to conduct an up-to-date bakery in the near future and endeavor to supply the public with all kinds of home made pastry.  
 L. H. Green and Dr. Hays attended the Board of Supervisor's meeting Wednesday, and made an application for an appropriation toward conducting a fight against the mosquitos, which are such an annoyance in the valley during the summer months. The Board took matters under advisement.

The Wild West Show, to it we all will go. The admission will be a trifle. Our pockets will not rattle. It will be a truly splendid show. What a lot of diamond breast pins, thunder and lightning, rip snorting fun, a lot of good hearted people can have—granted a good programme with real live events. Don't you know lots of times things crop up that are not on the programme that cause sensation? Oh gee whizz! we'll be there with bells on. Everything is coming along nicely, other towns are getting interested. Hooee! Watch the local papers for the date.  
 Judge Seawell made an order in the Superior Court Tuesday setting aside the submission of the suit of the Sonoma Valley Water, Light & Power Company vs. Nellie O'Brien et al., involving water and land rights in Sonoma valley. The trial was had some time since and the Court decided in favor of the plaintiff. His Honor in setting aside the submission of the suit will review the evidence again.  
 The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church will be entertained by Mrs. J. Stockwell in the church parlors on Thursday, April 11th, at 2 p. m. A good attendance is desired and a cordial invitation is extended to everybody.  
 J. T. MacQuiddy met with a painful accident Saturday. While engaged in removing the temporary roof on the mission building, the staging from which he was working fell, throwing him against a scantling, and fracturing a rib.  
 If parties who took the garden hose from the front porch of the residence of Mrs. A. H. Bates will return the same no question will be asked, otherwise they will be prosecuted as they are known. 2 t.  
 The summer examination of the different schools for promotion from the eighth grade to the high school and from the seventh grade to the eighth have been set by the Board of Education for June 10.  
 The Ladies Aid Society of the Congregational church will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday next, April 9th, at the home of Mrs. Erickson.  
 The Public Library has received a number of new books. The names of the books arrived too late for publication, but will be published next week.  
 F. Frederickson, prop. of the Sonoma Valley State Hospital, visited the metropolis this week. While there he purchased more machinery, made necessary by his growing trade.  
 Today is the day the new trustees will be selected for the high school and the grammar school.  
 Mrs. E. S. Agnew has been spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Dunbar.  
 Don't forget the First Grand Ball of the Sonoma Moose Saturday evening, April 13th.  
 Mr. and Mrs. A. Rouquette are the proud parents of a baby girl born Thursday.  
 C. Vigne, of Marysville, is visiting his brother, M. Vigne of this place.  
 City Engineer Newton V. V. Smyth was in town Wednesday.  
 S. E. Button transacted business in Santa Rosa Monday.  
 Geo. Shaw, of Benicia, visited friends here last week.

**N. C. Cadets Notes**  
 Sidewalk  
 Banana peel  
 George Angove  
 Virginia Reel.  
 An auto load to Cadets were Napa visitors Sunday.  
 Cadet Lawrence Ramsdell, who has been in San Francisco nearly three months, was a Sonoma visitor Sunday.  
 Last Monday Capt. Roberts visited the metropolis and brought back a fine pair of symbols for drummer Canevali.  
 Cadet Arthur Fisk went to the metropolis Sunday to meet his brother, William, who has been visiting the eastern states for the past two months.  
 Last Friday another interclass baseball game was played between the Sophomore and Junior vs. Freshman and Senior of the local High School. The Sophomore-Junior team was again victorious. This is the second game they have won. Three more will be played, making five in all. The score was close, being 5 to 5. The features of the game was the Sophomore-Junior battery and first baseman, and the Fresh-Senior battery. The Sophomore-Junior battery consisted of Fisk and Angove, who took turns in pitching and catching.  
 I. M. DROMEDUOV.

**A CARD OF THANKS**

We desire to thank our neighbors and many friends who came to our assistance at the time of the burning of our home, and their many kindnesses thereafter.  
 MR. AND MRS. W. H. RAMSDELL

**Schellville Chicken Colony Notes**

Mr. Jos. Weil went to the city on a business trip Monday.  
 Mr. Benker, Jr. journeyed to the city on the morning train Monday, returning Wednesday.  
 The Steward Bros. just received another large incubator, which they will fill immediately.  
 Mrs. McNeely went to Vallejo Monday. She will spend ten days or two weeks there and at Napa.  
 Mr. M. E. Pierce, of Route 1, Sonoma, was a pleasant caller at the colony a short time Monday afternoon.  
 Mrs. V. L. McNeely and little son, Lores, visited with friends in Buena Vista Sunday, returning in the evening.  
 The Steward boys have just taken a few hundred ducklings, of the Pekin and Indian Runner variety, and they certainly look fine.  
 Dr. Nourse, and his friend, Dr. Robinson, came up to the home place from the city Sunday to visit with Mrs. Nourse and Mr. and Mrs. Mason.  
 Mr. A. E. DeArmand, of the metropolis, and his father, recently from Cincinnati, spent Monday and Tuesday on the colony attending to business of various kinds.  
 Mrs. Wolfstein, son and brother of Mrs. Wolfstein, Mr. Wolf, came up last week and are getting nicely located, though their buildings are not yet all completed. They brought some very fine R. I. Reds with them.  
 Young Mr. Wolfstein received 300 R. I. Red babies yesterday by express, and is now thoroughly equipped and ready to start in his career of learning to manage and grow the wonderful birds called "broilers" and "friers."  
 An election will be held at the colony office of Judson and DeArmand Friday afternoon for the purpose of electing the trustees and officers for our new school district. The school house will be begun in the near future.  
 Mrs. H. H. Lingo and two daughters, the Misses Eunice and Margaret, came up on the morning train Sunday to visit their husband and father. It was Mrs. Lingo's and Miss Margaret's first visit to the colony, and they were very much pleased with the place.  
 Mr. Wolfstein, whose business will not let him come up to the colony right away, was up Sunday from the city to visit his wife, son and brother-in-law, who are already here occupying their ranch. A young lady friend of the family also spent the day with them, returning on the evening train.  
 The school committee from the Schellville Colony Improvement Club, representing the colony, made a pleasant call on Mr. DeArmand at his office Monday evening, to talk over school house plans, and to arrive at a thorough understanding of the same so as to begin work very soon.  
 The Schellville Colony Improvement Club is meeting only once in two weeks. They are doing some very efficient work that will tell for good in the future of the colony. It's a very pleasant place to spend an evening, and much information is gained by those who attend regularly.  
 A goodly number of landseekers were looking over the colony Sunday.  
 T. E. GRAMM K.

**N. C. C. BAND NOTES**

Cadet Fisk journeyed to San Francisco last Sunday to visit his brother.  
 The new band uniforms will soon be here. Unfortunately we had to appear at our first concert in civilian garb.  
 The band is playing sheet music now and we are pretty good at sight reading. Prof. Bailey gave us a new march last practise and it sounds great.  
 On April 20th, the N. C. C. Band will give a concert and dance in Glen Ellen at Chauvet Hall. Capt. Roberts and Cadet Adolph Luigens are a committee for arranging the concert. Details later.  
 Cadet Maurice Buchan painted the band's name on the bass drum. The letters are in black and red and read, "Northern California Cadets, Sonoma." Cadet Buchan has spoken for the job of printing the new cadet gymnasium. This puts "Huey" out of a job.  
 Prof. Bailey has arranged to teach a new Cadet Band, consisting of those who wish to join now and those who need special instruction. The N. C. C. Band is going ahead at a fast rate and it is too late for beginners to join it. For this reason a second band is to be formed. First practise tonight, at 7 o'clock in Weyhl's hall.  
 An appreciative audience listened to the first concert of the N. C. C. Band last Friday night. Everyone was pleased with the progress shown. An excellent program was rendered, consisting of Cadet Band numbers and talent from the Home at Eldridge. After the program, a fine orchestra of seven pieces dispersed music for dancing. The Cadets were very lucky in securing this fine orchestra. They certainly know how to play and we will know where to go for musicians after this. The leader, Prof. Bailey, played clarinet, and besides this instrument were piano, cornet, trombone, violin, tuba and baritone. BEE NATURAL.

**Glen Ellen Notes**

Miss Mae Buech of Vineburg, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Morris Levy.  
 Miss Bernice Ranker, daughter of E. A. Ranker, is visiting at the home of her parents here.  
 Just Arrived—Spring and Summer samples Levy Tailoring Co. Let me take your measure. Ad. Chiffers. 5 ft.  
 Mrs. Win. Fling, who has been very ill is very much improved, and her many friends wish for her a speedy recovery.  
 Collins & Mohr are having great success with their Monday night shows. They show good pictures and draw the crowd.  
 A. M. Hurdman for fancy groceries. Our motto—Live and Let Live. One price for all. Give us a trial. Gibson Bldg., opp. depot.  
 Jas. Clark has removed to Napa, where he will take a position under Dr. Osborne, of the Napa State Hospital. Dr. Osborne was formerly, Supt. of the State Home at Eldridge.

**Vote's Attention!**

As the boundaries of a number of precincts in the county were changed on the 10th day of January, 1912, every voter who expects to vote upon his registration prior to that date, should immediately ascertain if he is properly registered, or else he may be denied the privilege of voting at the Presidential Primary.  
 A person now residing in a different precinct from the one in which he was registered prior to January 10, 1912, and who has not since registered, is not entitled to vote at the May Primary.  
 Registration closes April 13th, 1912, for Presidential Primary of May 14th.  
 W. W. FELT, JR.,  
 County Clerk.  
 12 ft.

**BARN BURNED**

Last Sunday morning about two o'clock an alarm of fire was turned in for a fire on the Vallejo place.  
 The large barn used by L. Montalvo & S. Falco, who held a lease from Mrs. Emparan had caught afire and was totally destroyed. The volunteer fire company and citizens responded promptly, but did not reach the scene in time to save the building. The barn was insured.

**Miscellaneous Advertisements**

Advertisements inserted under this head for a cents per line for the first insertion and 50c per line for each subsequent insertion, payable in advance.  
 FOR SALE—Five good, young horses. Will work single or double. Apply F. Jensen, Oak Grove Resor, Sonoma. 11 p.  
 Wanted—Position of any kind. Am a stenographer but will accept any lucrative position except housework. Miss Edith Haines, Shellville. 13 ft.  
 For Rent—First class picture. L. Booth, Agua Caliente. 13 2 t.  
 For Sale—Spin of 10 and 11 year old mules. Will work anywhere. Address W. S. Bishop, Sonoma. 13 ft.  
 For Sale—Fresh milk cow. Apply Mr. C. Seeburger, Sonoma. 12 1 t p.  
 For Sale—A new rubber tired survey used only a few times. Will sell for less than cost, or will trade for driving horse, or saddle ponies or anything that can be used in the livery business. Woodleaf Livery Stables, Roy E. Button, Prop., Boy's Springs. 12 t.  
 Wanted—A lady handy at sewing, to help in tailor shop. Apply J. B. Parrent, ladies' gents' tailor, Napa street. 12 ft.  
 For Sale—Good family cow. F. A. Schell, Schellville, Cal. 12 ft.  
 Found—Young Bull calf. Owner can have same by paying for this ad and damage done. Apply at this office. 11 ft.  
 For Sale—Palms in varieties, in tubs. Apply to T. D. Morris, Agua Caliente, Calif. 11 ft.  
 For Rent—6 furnished rooms and bath. Modern improvements. Inquire at this office. 10 ft.  
 For Sale—Young work horse. F. A. Schell, Schellville, Cal. 9 ft.  
 Chicks and hatching eggs. White Leghorn. A Sychrousky, West of race track. 8 ft.  
 For Sale—Eggs and chicks from good thoroughbred single comb white Leghorn Eggs \$5.00 per hundred; chicks 8 cents a piece. W. J. Huser, Sonoma, Cal. 2 ft.

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 Buy land and get back to Nature. She will reward you, and then you must remember—  
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 Buy now. Don't wait.  
 Get the full profit from the increase of value.  
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**Northwestern Pacific Railway Company.**  
**OFFICIAL TIME SCHEDULE**

Leave Sonoma	DAILY	Arrive Sonoma
7:10 a m	San Francisco	10:44 a m
8:18 a m	San Rafael and Intermediates	6:59 p m
10:44 a m	Glen Ellen and Intermediates	7:10 a m
7:10 a m	San Rosa	9:44 a m
13 p m	& intermediates	6:59 p m
7:10 a m	Cloverdale Heads	10:44 a m
8:18 p m	Intermediates	6:59 p m
7:10 a m	Ukiah and Intermediates	6:59 p m
10:44 a m	Willits, Sherwood	6:59 p m
7:10 a m	Sebastopol and Intermediates	6:59 p m
7:10 a m	Guerneville and Intermediates	6:59 p m

Sundays, the afternoon train going south leaves Sonoma at 4:45.  
 W. S. PALMER, J. J. GEARY  
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 G. W. REED, Agent.

**Business Stationery at the Expositor.**  
**What Are Good Clothes?**  
 One of the essentials of good clothes is correct tailoring—right hang and fit, with individuality that distinguishes from the "ready-made."  
 The other very important feature is the dependable quality and smart style of the fabric used.  
 When your suit is made of DETMER'S WOOLENS it is guaranteed all pure wool. It will give you good service and hold its shape.  
 Come in—and have your clothes "individualized."  
**PARRENT**  
**LADIES' AND GENTS' TAILOR**  
 Napa Street  
 Sonoma

**Agua Caliente Springs**

Sacramento, California, Dec. 2nd, 1911.  
 Star Bitter Co., Agents for Caliente Mineral Water, City:  
 Gentlemen:—I am sending you the following testimonial, voluntarily, not particularly for your special financial benefit, but believing that there are hundreds of people right here in Sacramento, that are suffering the same as I have for a number of years, and if I can benefit them, as I have been benefited, I will not only consider myself well paid, but that I have performed a duty that I owe to suffering humanity.  
 For a number of years I have been suffering from a pain in my back, in the region of the kidneys, and during that time I have not been able to lay on my back or left side without suffering intense pain, so I was forced to sleep on my right side. One day while passing your office and laboratory I noticed your sign advertising "Caliente Mineral Water"; I concluded to try it and see if it would help me, and I am glad to say that after using ten gallons of said water the pains have left me entirely. It has done wonders for me, and I trust it will for others that are suffering the same as I was.  
 I give you permission to use this testimonial in any manner that will be the most beneficial to the general public.  
 I remain, yours truly,  
 F. WYLDER AYER.  
 Saleman for the United States Bond and Mortgage Company, Sacramento.  
 To whom it may concern:  
 For the benefit of my fellow sufferers I feel it my duty to testify that I have taken the Waters of Karlsbad, Marienbad, Tarasp, Switzerland; also of different springs in California, and found in none of them as much benefit in relieving me of goutish rheumatism as the Agua Caliente Springs.  
 GABRIEL COHN.

**There is but One Agua Caliente Springs.**  
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**WET OR DRY THAT IS THE QUESTION**  
 We have a full line of GOODS TO Keep YOU "DRY".  
 Oil Suits, and Oil Coats, Rubber Shoes, and Rubber Boots  
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 Why Certainly. We are agents for the Celebrated  
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 The best and most dependable incubator on the market. Write for literature, or better yet, call and let us demonstrate the many special features which you will find in NO other machine.  
**F. CLEWE**

**Stop! Look! Listen!**  
 The long looked for SFLF STARTERS have arrived. Come in and get measured up. The price is \$21.00 guaranteed. See us about our IRON CLAD service guarantee on HUDSON and HUPMOBILES. Every Hudson sold by us is guaranteed for three years.  
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**Choice Fresh, Salt and Cured MEATS**  
**FRUITS and VEGETABLES**  
 Always on hand in their season  
**Watch Your Orchard**  
 Thrips, the Deadly Fruit Pests Are Appearing in Different Orchards in This Valley in Great Numbers.  
 Now is the Time to Prepare to Fight Them.  
 For all kinds of spray materials see  
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proper strength. The exact working formula for making these medicines cost Dr. Pierce and his collaborating chemists and pharmacists many years of study and experiments, but as perfected they produce almost perfect pharmacological compounds, embodying all the active medicinal principles resulting in the ingredients employed, and this, too, in such form and combination as to keep up a change in any climate. Thus the use of alcohol is entirely avoided.

Without solicitation, Mrs. H. Harrison, of 112 West 2d Street, Sioux City, Iowa, writes us as follows:

"I suffered for more than seven years with a very complicated form of female trouble accompanied with nervous prostration, and after doctoring with six physicians (all bearing excellent reputations), was informed that unless an operation was performed I would be an invalid all my life. Hearing of the wonderful cures effected by Dr. R. V. Pierce's medicines, and believing that there must be a cure for almost every ailment, I determined to make one more effort. I wrote Dr. Pierce, and I will never forget his kindly advice, telling me to follow his instructions faithfully and not to submit to an operation. I commenced to improve after six weeks' treatment, and in five months my improvement was so noticeable to friends that they began to inquire about my method of treatment. I was obliged to tell them that the wonderful means of cure that I had most fortunately found, and as so many ladies applied to me for information regarding Dr. Pierce's world-famous medicines and his plans of treatment, I felt it my duty to give them the benefit of my experience, so I told them the facts. The large number of positive cures effected by Dr. Pierce's remedies alone, used by my recommendation, seemed, in one year's time, nothing short of a miracle. I could not have believed it had I not seen the parties and known the facts."

**Dr. Pierce's** Good temper is largely a matter of healthy activity of the bowels. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, being the "Favorite Prescription" for women, from Blue Cohosh root, Lady's Slipper root, Unicorn root, Golden Seal root and Kalmuck root, these ingredients being macerated for a long time at a rather high temperature in a menstruum composed of chemically pure glycerine, of

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## An Introduction

By ESTHER VANDEVEER

"My dear Mr. Bradish," said Mrs. Overaker, "why don't you marry?"

"Whom would I marry?"

"Well, I know some one who I think would make you an excellent wife."

"You mean that you know some woman in whom you take an interest who needs a husband and you would like to provide her with one?"

"You are wrong. The lady I have in view for you is well off, attractive and in every way desirable. There is only one thing about her that may be considered objectionable. She is a grass widow."

"I am at your disposal, Mrs. Overaker. I confess I am rather interested in grass widows. There is something about them different from all other women. They are usually excellent fighters. What's the lady's name?"

"Miss Iddings."

"I thought you said she had been married?"

"A woman may resume her maiden name, may she not?"

"Certainly. When and where shall I meet Miss Iddings?"

"Let me see. If she knew I intended an introduction between you and her with a view to marriage she would decline. Her experience in marriage was not a success."

"Her husband was a brute, I suppose."

"No. I think it was a case of mutual misunderstanding. As to this meeting I will invite her and my friend Cheltenham for a game of bridge, you to play with Miss Iddings, Cheltenham with me. How would that suit you?"

"It would please me better to have you for a partner."

"Thank you very much. You will play with Miss Iddings."

When on the evening appointed Mr. Bradish appeared he found the others of the party already assembled and the whist table ready, with the cards. He had met Mr. Cheltenham before, but bowed very low to Miss Iddings. Miss Iddings also bowed low, with her fan before the lower part of her face. After a few commonplace remarks they took seats as had been arranged by the hostess. Mr. Cheltenham won the deal, and Mrs. Overaker asked Mr. Bradish if he would mind keeping score. He took the score card she handed him, turned it wrong side up, reversed it, wrote names on it where they were not required, endeavored to rub them out and made a smudge. Miss Iddings attempted to reply to some civil remarks made by Mr. Cheltenham and got very badly mixed.

"May I play?" asked Miss Iddings.

"If you please," replied Mr. Bradish, with an excess of politeness.

The game went on for an hour, during which Miss Iddings humped Mr. Bradish's neck, revolved several times and when she played dummy usually threw the lead into the wrong hand. Mr. Bradish did not make these mistakes, but it was evident that he was thinking of something else than the game. At last Mrs. Overaker called a halt. The score stood 900 for her and her partner to 70 for their opponents. Putting her arm through that of Mr. Cheltenham, she walked him into another room.

The other two being left alone, both made a hasty survey of the exits, as if meditating an escape from each other. The lady gave her fan a few short whisks, then seemed to resign herself to an adverse fate.

"Are you a resident of the city, Miss Iddings?" asked the gentleman, using a hackneyed conventional phrase by way of opening a conversation.

"No. I am not. I am here temporarily."

"I was not aware that Iddings was your maiden name," icily.

"It is not, as you know very well."

"Why did Mrs. Overaker introduce you as Miss Iddings? With your consent?"

"I didn't know what she was intending to do till I saw you. Now I see it all. She had no business to—"

"She deceived me as well, but she has done it all out of the goodness of her heart."

"A mistaken kindness. Persons who interfere in other persons' affairs usually get what they deserve in the end."

"One thing she said to me when she proposed this—I mean when she told me she would introduce me to a woman not living with her husband—that struck me forcibly. I remarked that he was probably a brute?"

"He acted like one."

"Mrs. Overaker replied that it was a case of mutual misunderstanding. All difficulties between those who love are traceable to this cause."

"You mean where one loves—has loved."

"The woman?"

"Yes."

Mr. Bradish took a turn up and down the room, then went to the lady and, taking both her hands in his, said:

"Lou, it was not only a misunderstanding; it was arrant nonsense. At that moment Mrs. Overaker called out, 'Come in here, you two, and have some refreshments.'"

They joined her to find her eyes dancing with a delighted satisfaction. An elaborate supper had been prepared, and Cheltenham was opening a bottle of champagne.

When the so-called Miss Iddings departed with Mr. Bradish, before leaving she hugged her hostess and said: "Oh, Edith, how shall we ever be able to show our obligation to you? It's all made up. We are again husband and wife."

## Deafness Cannot Be Cured.

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running ear or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever, and deafness will be permanent. It is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness, caused by catarrh, that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circular, F. J. C. VINEY, & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family P. for constipation.

## PEACHES

A good market for California peaches is reported because of the scarcity of them in the Eastern States. Missouri, which usually produces an enormous crop, will have very few if any this year. The same condition is largely true throughout the entire Mississippi valley. The people of the whole United States will have to depend upon California grown peaches this year. The yield is reported promising in all sections of the state.

H. McGowan, 1218 W. Second Street, Little Rock, Ark., says: "I suffer with severe pains across my back and the kidney action is irregular and very painful. After taking Foley Kidney Pills for a few days the pain left my back and the kidney became normal. I can gladly recommend Foley Kidney Pills for I know they helped me."

Sold by James McElney, Model Pharmacy.

There are 15,615,669 Catholics in the United States proper, according to the 1912 edition of Kennedy's official Catholic Directory, which is authority also for the following statistics: At the close of the Catholic population of the country was 14,618,761 while ten years ago it was 10,976,757, showing an increase of 3,641,904 for the decade. Twenty years ago Catholics numbered 8,675,785.

M. D. B. Ardman, 573 W. Main St., Helena, Mont., gives an interesting account of his improved life through the use of Foley Kidney Pills.

After getting a detailed account of his case, he says, "I am almost 70 years old and have spent hundreds of dollars for medicine, but find that I have received more benefit from Foley Kidney Pills, than from all other medicines. Further particulars sent on request."

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"I leave all to my wife" is the shortest will yet filed with the county clerk in San Francisco last week, according to the deputies who have been in the office for years. The document was left by George C. Shields, who shot himself in Golden Gate park, San Francisco, last February. It was inscribed on a leaf in a notebook, and on the reverse side was a message to his wife, which read as follows: "Dear Kit: Forgive me if you can and keep the boy to forget me. My mind is fixed. Can't stand it no longer."

Signed "GEORGE."

**A Mother's Care**

A careful mother will not give her child a medicine without knowing it is pure, contains no opiates, and has healing and curative qualities. Such a medicine is Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for croup, whooping cough, bronchitis, and all affections of the chest, throat and lungs. Best and safest for children and grown persons. Contains no opiates. Sold by James McElney, Model Pharmacy.

The original planters of fine tobacco in Honduras were Cubans, who brought their seed and methods of curing, and with favorable soil, climate, and labor conditions were successful, their tobacco taking first prize in several international exhibitions; quantities were exported to Cuba and sold as Havana tobacco. These planters became well to do and retired.

C. L. Parsons, Sec'y and Treas. of the C. H. Ward Drug Co., Pasadena, Calif., writes: "We have sold and recommended Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for years. We believe it to be one of the most efficient expectorants on the market. Containing no opiates or narcotics it can be given freely to children. Enough of this medicine can be taken to relieve a cold as it has no nauseating results and does not interfere with digestion."

Miss Florence Slagle, a music teacher of Soudertown, Pa., has been confined to her room, suffering from an unusual ailment. The X-rays revealed the presence of a large lizard in her stomach. Some time ago Miss Slagle was visiting relatives at Selin's Grove and drank a glass of water from a spring. She felt something slip down her throat, but paid no attention to the circumstances until she began to suffer peculiar sensations within her stomach.

Mayor James C. Dahlman, Omaha, Neb., often called the "Coy Boy Mayor" writes of the benefit he derived from Foley Kidney Pills and says, "I have taken Foley Kidney Pills and they have given me a great deal of relief, so I cheerfully recommend them."

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Cot. Roosevelt thought he heard the people calling, and no doubt he did. But he seems to have been mistaken as to what they were, saying:

## SPARE TIME TO LAUGH.

Brooding Over Your Worries Won't Lighten the Burden.

It is the duty of mankind, even in depressing circumstances, to strive to be cheerful. It is the general belief that if a man is not naturally light-hearted he cannot make himself so.

Yet this is far from being the case, and there are many a man who is at present a weary burden to his relatives, miserable through the caring care of some bodily ailment perhaps or some worldly misfortune, who, if he had grown up with the idea that to be cheerful in all circumstances was one of the first duties of life, might still see a pleasant enough world round him.

The worries of a morose person will shorten his days, and the general justice of nature's arrangement provides that his early departure should entail no long regrets.

On the other hand, the man who can laugh keeps his health. To the perfectly healthy laughter comes often. Too commonly, though, as childhood is left behind, the habit falls, and a half smile is the most that visits the thought lined mouth of a modern man or woman. People become more and more burdened with the accumulations of knowledge and with the weighty responsibilities of life, but they should still spare time to laugh.—Detroit Free Press.

**SEED GERMINATION.**

In Some Cases the Development Is Remarkably Rapid.

It has been said that the seed of the globe turnip when growing increases its own weight fifteen times within a minute. The seed of this turnip is exceedingly minute, being not larger than the twentieth part of an inch in diameter, and yet in the course of a few months the seed will be developed by the soil into twenty-seven millions of times the bulk of the original, and this in addition to a considerable bunch of leaves.

On peat ground turnips have been found to increase by growth 15,000 times the weight of their seed each day they stood.

The fungus offer an instance of remarkably rapid growth. The great puff ball will attain the size of a pumpkin in a single night, and Lindley calculated that the cells whereof it is composed will multiply at the rate of 60,000,000 a minute.

Many seeds germinate in a very short period—the cross in two days, spinach, turnips and kidney beans in three days, lettuce in four, melons and gourds in five, most of the grain seed in a week and hyssop at the end of a month. But others remain for a very long period without showing signs of germination.—New York Herald.

Wm. L. Cook, Prop. the Bee Hive Drug Store, Nehart, Mont., says the Belt Canon running from Belt to Nehart is the most picturesque spot in all Montana. He writes: "I recommend Foley's Honey and Tar Compound to all my customers and am never disappointed. It gives the best results for coughs and colds of anything I sell."

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